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FOR THE AMBASSADOR FROM SISCO

- 1. JOSEPH KRAFT HAS AGAIN RAISED THE POSSIBILITY OF SAUDIS ISSUING HIM A VISA. KRAFT WOULD LIKE TO TRAVEL TO SAUDI ARABIA IN MARCH OR APRIL.
- 2. I REALIZE THAT YOU HAVE MADE SEVERAL APPROACHES TO SAG ON KRAFT VISA MATTER AND WE NOT SURE EXACTLY WHERE REQUEST NOW STANDS AND IF IT WAS EVER RAISED BY PRINCE FAHD WITH KING FAISAL. I WOULD APPRECIATE, HOWEVER, YOUR RAISING MATTER AGAIN POINTING OUT VALUE WE THINK SAUDIS WILL EVENTUALLY DERIVE BY FACILITATING HIS VISIT TO KINGDOM, WHICH IS NOW JUST ABOUT LAST ARAB COUNTRY KRAFT HAS NOT VISITED. KISSINGER SECRET

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